

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (original) A magnetic tape cartridge comprising:

a single reel with magnetic tape wound thereon;

a cartridge case for rotatably housing said single reel;

a leader pin having a tape clamp portion on which said magnetic tape is wound; and

a clamp member with C cross section that has an axial slit;

wherein said leader pin is affixed to a leading end of said magnetic tape by elastically fitting said clamp member onto said tape clamp portion of said leader pin;

and wherein a sheet member for enhancing a coefficient of friction is interposed at least between said magnetic tape and said tape clamp portion.
- 2-6. (Canceled)
7. (new): A magnetic tape cartridge according to claim 1, wherein a first surface of the magnetic tape contacts the sheet member and a second surface of the magnetic tape contacts an inner surface of the clamp member.